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HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

--NEWS AND COMMUNITY RELEASE--

Residents of the City of Hartford are invited to empty their homes of hazardous waste materials on Saturday, June 18th.

The Metropolitan District will collect these items from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. --- rain or shine --- at Martin Luther King School located at the corner of Blue Hills Avenue & Westbourne Parkway. The program is free, environmentally responsible, and gives individuals a chance to protect their local environment.

Examples of acceptable household hazardous waste include CFLs; solvents; pesticides; cleaners; products containing mercury; gasoline; oil-based paint and batteries.

The following materials will not be accepted at the collection: latex paint; motor oil; car batteries; tires; medical waste; radioactive waste; household garbage; smoke detectors; ammunitions and explosives.

Please collect all acceptable products in disposable but sturdy boxes or bins, store in a cool, dry place away from children and pets, and transport it to the collection in your trunk.

For a complete list of eligible towns and acceptable items please call the HazWaste Hotline at (860) 278-3809 or visit www.themdc.com.

Contact person at MDC: Amy Velasquez, Household Hazardous Waste Coordinator, at (860) 278-7850 ext. 3454.